

Gets Day In Jail For Whipping Child

J. F. Hodnett Gets Heavier Penalty Upon Appealing From Mayor's Decision of \$25 Fine.

J. F. Hodnett, who was recently fined \$25 by Mayor Wooding for assaulting John Richards, aged 14, and who appealed his case to the Corporation court, fared badly at the hands of the jury which heard the case. He was fined \$200 and ordered to spend one day in jail.

The contention of the commonwealth was that Hodnett, in correcting the child of a relative who lived under his roof had struck the child about the head and face with his fist and also about the arms with a razor strap. There was evidence of there being marks about the child's head from the probation officer.

The defense was that the little girl, in running away from the man, ran into a door and sustained the bruises and marks about the head from this impact and Hodnett denied that he had used his fist. He admitted using the razor strap to correct the child.

Corporation court adjourned at noon today Monday. The automobile case involving V. M. Snead and C. A. Frazier have been continued until the July term of court. It was announced before the term of court started that the commonwealth's attorney expected to dispose of these cases. When a date was tentatively set, however, John Carter, an insurance company detective who played a leading role in "working up" the evidence in these cases, was not present and he was not reached. When he was found, it developed that he was attending another session of court elsewhere. He arrived yesterday, however. At this session, the commonwealth's attorney said today, the agent said that he was not prepared to go into the cases. For this reason, the statement continued, a continuance until the next term of court was (Continued on page 3.)

Conditions Are Fast Improving

Widespread Industrial Awakening All Over the Country Noted — Farm Situation Encouraging.

(By The Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, May 6.—Employment conditions demonstrate a widespread industrial awakening from coast to coast, Secretary Davis declared today. The farm situation is decidedly encouraging.

Thrice Married Husband Unpopular With Wives

CHICAGO, May 5.—Archibald J. Jones is not a howling success with women who become his wives. He admitted as much in court today, where he was defending himself against a charge of non-support.

"I never had much success with my wives," he sighed. "Somehow I seemed to irritate them. Women get violent when they look at me."

"My first wife, Ethel, drowned herself in Lake Michigan," My second, Clara, shot me and herself. Now Doris, here, my third wife, threatens to kill me. I can't understand it."

"I can explain it, your Honor," spoke up Doris. "He is drunk all the time. He beats me when he is drunk, which means that he is constantly beating me. He gets a salary of \$200 a month, but I get none of it to maintain the home."

Judge Adams ordered Jones, who is 32, to pay his wife \$15 a week and advised him to get a divorce.

Business Men Will Hear Sands Speak

Entire Memberships of Local Organizations to Meet in Municipal Hall Next Thursday.

Oliver J. Sands, director of the Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Marketing association accompanied by a group of officials will visit Danville on May 11th, next Thursday for a meeting with the business men of Danville. Not far from the Chamber of Commerce invited Mr. Sands to come here for a meeting with business men to discuss the issues and to see by what means the organization could be of assistance in promoting the success of the organization. At the time it was decided to let Mr. Sands designate the audience he would like to address, it being not quite certain whether he would prefer to meet a small group, representative of all classes of business or the full membership of the Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Sands has now replied, saying he would like to meet as many of the business men as possible and to meet the entire membership of the Chamber of Commerce, the Young Men's Business club, the Danville Board of Trade and the retail merchants. The meeting will be held at 2 o'clock at the Municipal building. It is understood that several other officials will be with Mr. Sands to make talks to the Danville business men.

Astor Party Leaves For New Conquests Through Virginia

Lady Astor bid au-revoir to Danville today after a visit to her birthplace unique perhaps in local annals for its warmth and sincerity, and leaving behind her a new conception of the so often misconstrued nobility and a real affection not only for her but also her stalwart husband in the hearts of the people she considers her "home folks."

Nancy Astor went through a program throughout the course of yesterday that would have exhausted the average woman. Called on for impromptu speeches apart from her two "set" addresses, whither here, there and everywhere, attending functions, dinners and teas she was "on the go" from early morning until late last night. She was up betimes this morning, fresh and not one whit less active than she was yesterday. She and her husband with Mrs. Gibson held a sort of informal levee in the parlors of the Burton at which Colonel Carrington and several members of the reception committee waited upon her with relatives. Lady Astor had a bright word for everyone, a smile, a sly jest and even a wink or two. She personally thanked the hotel management and shook hands with the chef. As she left the hotel to enter a car on her way to the station she found 50 T. P. A. delegates who apparently were oblivious of the fact that the hour for the convening of their last session was at hand. She shook hands with them. "I know you old drummers," she said, "now you keep everything going over here, don't let them run down the old country and don't pay any attention to those German-Americans. If England misbehaves herself, I'll be the first one to let you know about it."

There was a short wait at the station where a number of people had gathered to see her. In many cases there were people who missed the opportunity and who wanted to have a look at this remarkable woman who took the town by storm yesterday on an expedition leaving a trail of admiration and good will in her wake. The departure of the train was not without another obvious sentiment. Lady Astor's eyes clouded as she expressed once again her and her husband's expression of thanks for the wonderful day and that wonderful reception.

The train will stop at Evinston in Campbell county where Lady Astor and her party will descend for a short greeting to her only surviving uncle, Thomas L. Langhorne. It was understood that she would not leave the station at Evinston but would remain there between trains, talking with her uncle and his friends. Lady Astor is known to have regretted that no stop could be arranged at Altavista to see Capt. John L. Hurt.

They will arrive in Lynchburg tonight and will spend the day there before going to Greenwood and perhaps Mirador. Mrs. Ronald Tree who was to have been here with her aunt yesterday, was taken ill in Richmond and could not come to Danville. Her sister, Miss Alice Perkins, elected to remain with her sister but will see Lady Astor in Albemarle county.

One touching little incident yesterday one among many perhaps, all of which are not coming to light, was the gift of the Confederate flag which decorated the rostrum in the council chamber. Lady Astor had demanded it. She said she wanted it to take back with her to the States. It was developed that the flag was one belonging to Mrs. L. E. Harvie who had treasured it. It was proposed to change the flag for another as Lady Astor would probably never have known the difference. Instead Mrs. Harvie insisted that it be given to her since the visitor had asked for it.

Lord Astor in leaving Danville, carried with him an intelligent survey of the mill industry of the State, labor conditions and more especially the "Golden Rule" policy governing the mills. Yesterday with R. A. Schoolfield, George W. Robertson and several other officials of the order, several hours going over the mills and discussing the mill policy. He remained in company with the attorney for some little time and was quite abashed by the Southern Amusement Company's plan. He is carrying away with him numerous notes and a copy of the constitution of industrial democracy.

Miss Katherine Scarborough who came to Danville representing a Baltimore paper, said before leaving last night that she had been with the Astor party since their arrival in New York on the Olympic. She gave it as her personal opinion that on their travels has there been anything like the warmth of appreciation and spontaneous greetings which the Astors encountered in Danville.

Newport News Man Is Chosen, Also Other Officers— Convention Endorses the Bond Issue and Elects Delegates to National Convention.

The Travellers' Protective Association of Virginia, who started their annual convention in the Elks' auditorium yesterday morning with 175 delegates present, completed its sessions and adjourned since die at noon today. Business was dispatched with rapidly with the aim of cleaning the slate by mid-day in order to give the delegates a chance to get home for Sunday.

Roy J. Charles, of Newport News, who was determined upon in the caucus last night for president, was elected by the membership this morning, this being the first business of the day. Mr. Charles was, until election today, vice-president, is president of the Cole Tobacco Company of Newport News, being prominently identified with the Chamber of Commerce of that city, also a member of the city council. He has been a prominent figure also in recent years in the affairs of the T. P. A. and the delegates felt satisfied this afternoon that their choice of leadership would redound to the credit of the organization.

Other officers elected include B. H. Randolph, Richmond, first vice president; J. L. Pleasants, Lynchburg, second vice-president; H. L. Harwood, Richmond, secretary and treasurer. Directors for the state division elected were H. P. Powell, Richmond; E. W. Brooks, Jr., Richmond; E. W. Christian, Richmond; G. W. Rogers, Richmond; A. D. Stirling, Danville; J. X. Williams, Alexandria; C. S. Johnson, Roanoke; Branch Adams, Lynchburg; J. Stribling, Norfolk.

Delegates to the national convention, which will be held in Atlantic City, June 5th to 9th, were chosen before adjournment, there being 33 in all.

The organization went on record definitely in favor of the \$12,000,000 road bond issue, which is being discussed with animation throughout the state. Some of the amendments to the constitution were adopted, but the principal one, that introducing a classified membership, which would have materially affected the insurance feature of the T. P. A., was voted down. One slight change was made (Continued on page 8.)

Local Companies To Attend Funeral Of Private Mitchell

The funeral of Private Ollie Mitchell, who was killed in action during the world war and whose remains arrived here yesterday afternoon, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from Calvary Methodist church. The body, on arrival, was taken to the home of Mrs. Newman, sister of the dead man, on Clay street. Members of the local tank and field hospital companies are requested to meet at the armory Sunday at 2:30 o'clock when the two companies will march in a body to the church to attend the funeral services. All other ex-service men are requested to also attend. Interment will be made in Green Hill cemetery.

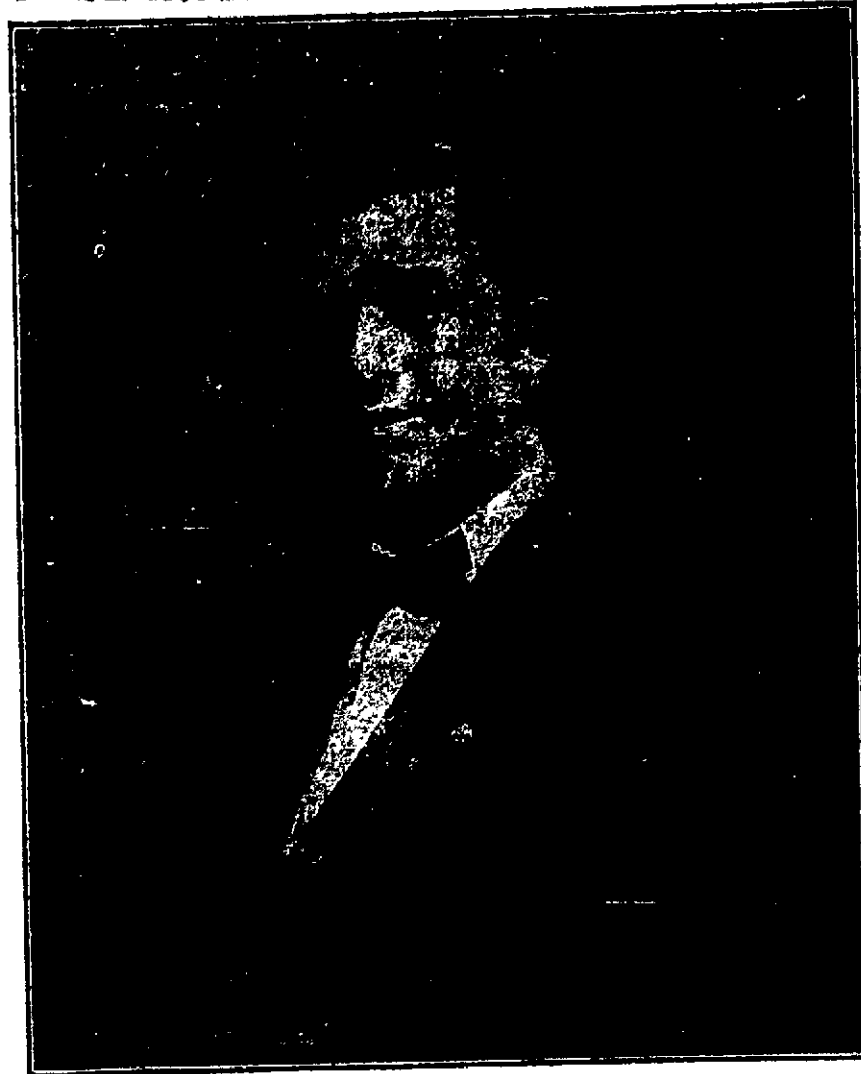
Official Visit to Elks' Lodge Tonight

S. K. Snedegar, district deputy grand exalted ruler of the Elks, will pay an official visit to Danville Lodge as a special meeting called for eight o'clock tonight. Mr. Snedegar is a prominent attorney of Roanoke and a good speaker. A large attendance is expected tonight to greet this well-known official of the order. He has jurisdiction over the western half of the State and is just completing his round of official visits.

American Red Cross Commissioner Is Dead

RIGA, May 5.—Hugh Reed Griffin, assistant American Red Cross commissioner in the Baltic States, died here today from pneumonia. He was stricken with influenza some time ago and in his weakened condition contracted pneumonia. He is survived by a widow here and a daughter, Mrs. John Arnold Foster, of Paris and London.

Elected T. P. A. President Today



ROY J. CHARLES
**State T. P. A. Elect
Roy Charles As
New President**

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Of interest to Danville people is the wedding which took place in Richmond on Wednesday of Miss Cordelia Barksdale to A. A. Moore, of Halifax county, an account of which is given hereunder. Mrs. Moore, who has been living near Ringgold, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Neal, is well known here. The account of the marriage follows:

"A quiet home wedding was celebrated yesterday evening at 6 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. W. Ferrell, 816 Elmont avenue, Byrd park, when Mrs. Ferrell's sister, Miss Cordelia Maude Barksdale, of Danville, Va., became the bride of A. A. Moore, of Halifax county, Va., in the presence of a small family gathering. The Rev. Dr. J. W. Cammack, of the editorial staff of the Religious Herald, was the officiating minister.

"The bride wore a tailored suit of navy blue with hat and veil to correspond, and accessories in shades of gray. Her corsage bouquet was of roses and lilies of the valley. Washington, after a brief stay in the city, Mr. and Mrs. Moore will return to Richmond, and will be at the Richmond hotel.

"The bride is of an old Halifax family, and a woman of grace and charm. A brother, the late Sen. William P. Barksdale, was one of the leaders in that body during his three terms as representative of the district that included Halifax.

"Owing to the recent death of Mr. Ferrell, only members of the family were at the wedding."

FIREMEN RECEIVE CALL

The city fire department was called last night at 6:55 p. m. to the rear of the Clarke Terrace apartment, where an automobile parked there was found to be on fire. The machine belonged to L. D. Brown and the blaze is said to have started through the ignition wires. Little damage was done to the car, the flames being promptly extinguished.

SOCIAL WORK MEETING WILL START ON SUNDAY

The annual conference on state social work will begin tomorrow with visiting delegates occupying many of the city hotels and will continue through until Tuesday night. A full program for the convention has been arranged and there will be an exhaustive discussion of the re-organization of the State Board of Charities and Corrections.

Buster Brown Is Seen At Sycamore

whisky which was captured during that afternoon. The constable stopped the machine in which he had started home, and asked a man named Elwell Lewis, who was working on a car on the roadside if he needed any help. Just then the negro suddenly appeared from the body of woods close by with pistol drawn, asked the officer what he had done with his whisky and almost immediately fired two shots, one of which proved fatal. In the car with the officer was a man named Whitlock, who was driving Mitchell home. The negro ran down the road, Lewis was left at the scene, and Whitlock went back to Martinsville carrying the dead body of the constable and reporting the matter to the authorities.

Buster Brown, negro, who shot and killed Constable Hughes Mitchell near Martinsville Thursday night, has not yet been captured, but was reported to have been seen this morning to board a freight train at Sycamore, headed north. This was the information received by the local police this morning from that place. The Lynchburg authorities were immediately notified and requested to keep a close watch for the negro murderer.

Outside of this, there have been no new developments in the cases. The apparently cold-blooded murder occurred on the road near Martinsville, by the negro, who, from all indications, had an interest in a load of

Civil War In China Ended

New Shortage Is Found In High Point Bank

GREENSBORO, N. C., May 6.—Following the discovery of an additional shortage of \$35,000 in the funds of the Home Banking Company, of High Point, making a total shortage now of more than \$102,000, Chief State Bank Examiner Clarence Latham closed the bank yesterday morning shortly after 10 o'clock.

The order was issued by Examiner Latham after consultation with the State Corporation Commission and the closing is in the name of the commission. A notice posted on the bank door reads: "Closed by order of the State Corporation Commission, Clarence Latham, bank examiner."

Basil H. Hedgecock, cashier of the bank, who has been unemployed since the past two days has been allowed freedom under custody of a policeman, who in Greensboro conferring with his lawyers when word came that the bank was closed. T. W. Alpertson, city prosecutor of High Point, insisted that Hedgecock be placed in jail and kept there, and at 12:30 yesterday Hedgecock was locked in the Guilford county jail. He raised no objection and in fact seemed somewhat relieved.

Withdrawals of deposits from the bank, which have been made steadily since Monday morning when the shortage first became known, mounted yesterday morning almost to the size of a run on the bank. There was no long line but a steady flow of depositors kept bank officials busy during the first hour and beyond question a large sum has been withdrawn. No objection was made by bank officials to the closing, for as can be learned, on the contrary there are indications that they are glad Examiner Latham closed the doors.

Laid in Mausoleum

DUBLIN, May 5.—(By The Associated Press.)—The body of Richard Croker was laid to rest today in the mausoleum at Glencarrig Castle, the former Tammany chieftain's residence outside Dublin.

(By The Associated Press.)
PEKING, May 6.—President Huan-Shi-Chang has issued a mandate dismissing Premier Liang Shih-Chang, Finance Minister Chang Yu and Minister of Communications Yeh Kung-Chao and ordering the arrest of the trio.

General Chang Tso Lin, who was dismissed from inspector generalship at Manchuria. The civil war appears ended with the flight of Chang and the recognition by the Peking government of Wu.

Burns 3 Negroes At Same Stake

Ace Holland With New Organization

(Special from the Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association News Service.)
RALEIGH, N. C., May 6.—Tobacco sold through the Burley Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association in Kentucky during the month of February averaged \$29 per hundred pounds as compared to the average of \$20.93 per hundred pounds for tobacco sold over the auction floor in Kentucky according to a telegram from James C. Stone, president of the Burley Association reaching the Raleigh headquarters of the Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association this week.

The R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company has already completed another large purchase of tobacco from the organized growers of Kentucky through their Co-operative Marketing Association in addition to the \$5,000,000 pounds which the association has already sold at very satisfactory figures.

The success of the Burley Association in redrying tobacco for its members is evidenced by the fact that there are a number of big buyers interested in the purchase of the remainder of the Kentucky pool according to latest dispatches from Lexington headquarters of the Burley Tobacco Growers' Association.

A. T. Holland, of Danville, Va., has been appointed supervising grader of the Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association, according to today's announcement from R. E. Patterson, general manager of the least department.

Mr. Holland was connected with the Imperial Tobacco Company at Danville for 15 years, for 10 years as assistant manager, and for five years as manager and head buyer for the least department of that company.

Mr. Holland has been with the past two years Mr. Holland has been with the Export Leaf Tobacco Company at Danville, and has had other experience with the firm of J. M. Edmunds and Company as district supervisor.

Wife Claims Alibi For Brunen Suspect

MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., May 5.—While county authorities today continued their investigation of the death of John T. Brunen, circus owner, who was shot to death March 10, Mrs. Harry C. Mohr, wife of Brunen, brother-in-law, one of the two men in jail charged with the murder, announced she had "rounded up witnesses enough to establish a perfect alibi" for her husband.

Mohr was arrested after Charles M. Powell, former constable with the Brunswick show, had made confession charging he had shot and killed Brunen after Mohr had "rounded him for months to do it."

As a result of new developments in the investigation, County Detective Ellis Parker today said he was convinced nearly half an hour conflict between the suspects. Brunen was shot and the time his wife had told neighbors of the shooting.

Passing motorists heard shots fired at the Brunen house at 7:10 p. m. and it was about 7:35 when Mr. Brunen told neighbors her husband had been killed. Parker said.

Banton to Sift Charge Probst Was Kidnapper

NEW YORK, May 6.—August Probst, the Pittsburgh, Pa., laborer, who was arrested for deportation from Ellis Island today as an incompetent alien, has obtained what amounts to a further stay through his attorney, Bernard J. Sandier, who induced District Attorney Banton to investigate the alleged kidnapping of Probst by two detectives.

Probst said he was kidnapped in Pittsburgh and brought here because a well-known society girl in Pittsburgh was in love with him. This was denied by the young woman, who pictured the Pittsburgh club butler as a simple-minded young man who had the impression of a good-looking attractive fellow.

Mr. Sandier told Mr. Banton yesterday that, while the kidnapping was stated in Pittsburgh, it was consummated in New York and, therefore, the district attorney of New York county has jurisdiction. August Probst, District Attorney Scherier, assigned to the case, said he expects to call witnesses tomorrow.

Chesterfield and Piedmont Cigarettes 5c and 15c; Camels 15c; coronas 15c. At Patterson's every day. 5-324

Life Insurance—"Buy from Bass,"

CONFERENCE SPEAKERS FOR THE CHURCHES

The following speakers, who will be in Danville for the conference on Social Work, May 7, 8, and 9, will speak in the Danville churches May 7:

Louis Brownlow, city manager of Petersburg, morning service, Main Street Methodist church.
A. L. Roper, mayor of Norfolk, Mt. Vernon Methodist church, evening service.
Dr. J. T. Mastin, superintendent Methodist Institute, Richmond, Va., First Presbyterian church, morning service.
Dr. Floyd Rogers, Lynchburg, Va., First Presbyterian church, evening service.
Dr. John P. McConnell, president State Normal school, First Baptist church, morning service.
Frank Rane, commissioner State Board of Public Welfare, First Baptist church, evening service.
Rev. R. V. Lancaster, chaplain Virginia Penitentiary, Epiphany church, morning service.
Dr. B. H. H. Rogers, superintendent Boys' Industrial school, Covington, Va., Epiphany church, evening service.
Rev. W. J. Maybee, superintendent Children's Home Society of Virginia, Second Baptist church, morning service.
Hon. J. Hoge Ricks, Judge Richmond Juvenile court, Catholic church, evening service.
Dr. Kate Waller Barrett, president Florence Crittenton Mission, Shelton Memorial, evening service.
Professor Jno. P. McConnell, superintendent State Normal school, Sleds Memorial, evening service.

MAYOR'S COURT

There was no session of the mayor's court yesterday, owing to Lady Nancy Astor's visit here today. It was announced by the mayor Thursday that there would be no court because of yesterday's celebration.

Messrs. Wm. Waller Grater Paxton and Agnes Fuller are taking in the May Day Festival at Sweetbriar, Va.

Mrs. T. Wells Tells How Cuticura Healed Blisters On Baby

"When baby was three months old she broke out in little clear blisters. After a while the blisters would break and the skin would come away and become inflamed and form large, sore eruptions. They were all over her body, even in her hair. Her hair fell out and became dry and lifeless. She could hardly stand her clothing, and we could not pick her up without hurting her."

"The trouble lasted about five months. I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment and in two weeks could see an improvement. I continued using them and she was healed." (Signed) Mrs. Theodore Wells, R. 1, Box 47, De Ridder, La.

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They start the bile and overcome constipation. Take one or two nightly and note the pleasing results. Millions of boxes are sold annually at 15c and 30c.

THANKFUL FOR A LITTLE CHILD

Mrs. Mertz Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her

Rochester, Pa.—"I wish every woman who wants children would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has done so much for me. My baby is almost a year old now and is the picture of health. She walked at eleven months and is trying to use her little tongue. She can say some words and read some letters. I am sending you her picture. I shall be thankful as long as I live that I found such a wonderful medicine for my troubles."—Mrs. CHARLES A. MERTZ, Rochester, Pa.

Astor Celebration Will Be Shown In Pictures Here

Those in Danville who were unfortunate in being unable to attend any of the ceremonies yesterday in honor of Lady Nancy Astor or even to see her, will have an opportunity of taking in all of the events of the day on the movie screen one day next week. J. C. Brown, a moving picture cameraman of the International News Service was in the city all of yesterday filming the events of the day, the celebration in honor of Lady Astor and the P. A. convention, which is in session here. Between 450 and 500 feet of film were exposed, enough to give an audience a very good impression of the activities of the day. Not only will the picture be presented here, but the film will be included in one of the news weeklies of the International News and flashed on the screen over the entire country, thereby giving Danville, as the birthplace of Lady Nancy Astor, prominent publicity throughout the nation.

The cameraman was brought here with his machine through the efforts of J. C. Hester, manager of the Broadway theatre, at a large expense, besides the time and trouble in sending telegrams to the news company emphasizing the importance of the occasion.

The first scenes were taken at the site of Lady Astor's birthplace on the corner of Main and Broad streets and various views, after the thorough assembly of the day, were taken including the presentation of the silver loving cup. Then yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock the cameraman was again on the job at the Memorial mansion at which Lady Astor was also present and spoke briefly before about 3,000 school children. Her fondness for children was emphasized when she was seen with a little girl of about 7 years in her arms. The photographer, alert for anything that might occur, quickly set his camera and with it focused on Lady Astor and the little girl, began to "crank." It was later learned that the child was Edith Hester, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hester. After taking many scenes in the midst of the throngs of school children, the photographer was finally successful in inducing Lord and Lady Astor to go across the street, in a more private place, where the two posed together. The scene was beside a rose bush on the lawn of the James home. Lord Astor was filmed in the act of pinning a rose on his ladyship.

The Elks club, where the T. P. A. Convention is on, was then visited and the meeting adjourned long enough for the large number of delegates to allow filming of the event, which will also be of interest to the news service.

Mr. Brown left last night for Washington, taking with him the film which will be returned to Danville immediately after it is developed and printed, when it will be flashed on the screen at the Broadway early next week, probably Monday. Views of the landing of Lady Astor at New York are contained in a news reel which was shown at the Broadway yesterday. This will be presented again today along with the regular program.

Mr. Brown is an expert photographer and although the sky was cloudy the pictures will be sharp and the objects clearly defined. It is understood the pictures will be of a slower motion, as compared with movies several other events which have been taken here. On previous occasions, at the showing of the film, a speaker would find it a difficult matter to keep up with the different views, or recognize some of the scenes, owing to the fast action of the picture. This will not be the case this time.

RISKS LIFE TO FILM

TRESTLE SCENE IN "SATURDAY NIGHT"

Leatrice Joy, Leading Woman, Has Narrow Escape As Cecil B. De Mille Picture Shows.

Leatrice Joy and Jack Moker narrowly escaped death several times in the filming of an automobile accident episode in "Saturday Night." Cecil B. De Mille's latest Paramount picture, which will be the attraction at the Broadway theatre next Monday and Tuesday. But the narrow escape came when Miss Joy for a moment fell on the railroad trestle a hundred feet above the ground.

In this episode Miss Joy and Mr. Moker attempt to cross a railroad trestle on an automobile accident and survive a mid-way across by an approaching electric train. In their frantic efforts to escape they rush for the distant end of the trestle. Realizing that this is impossible, Moker was forced to turn back and clamber over the edge of the trestle with him where the pair would hang suspended while the train rushed above them, scrapping the automobile.

While filming the scene in which the trapped pair attempt to outrun the train, Miss Joy fell over one of the ties and rolling within a few inches of the edge of the trestle. Dizzy from constant work at that height and surprised by the fall, she was powerless to help herself. Only good fortune saved her from falling to certain death.

Although the stumble was purely accidental, Mr. De Mille retained the scene in the picture on the ground that it was absolute realism. Conrad Nagel, Edith Roberts, Julia Faye and Theodore Roberts have important roles.

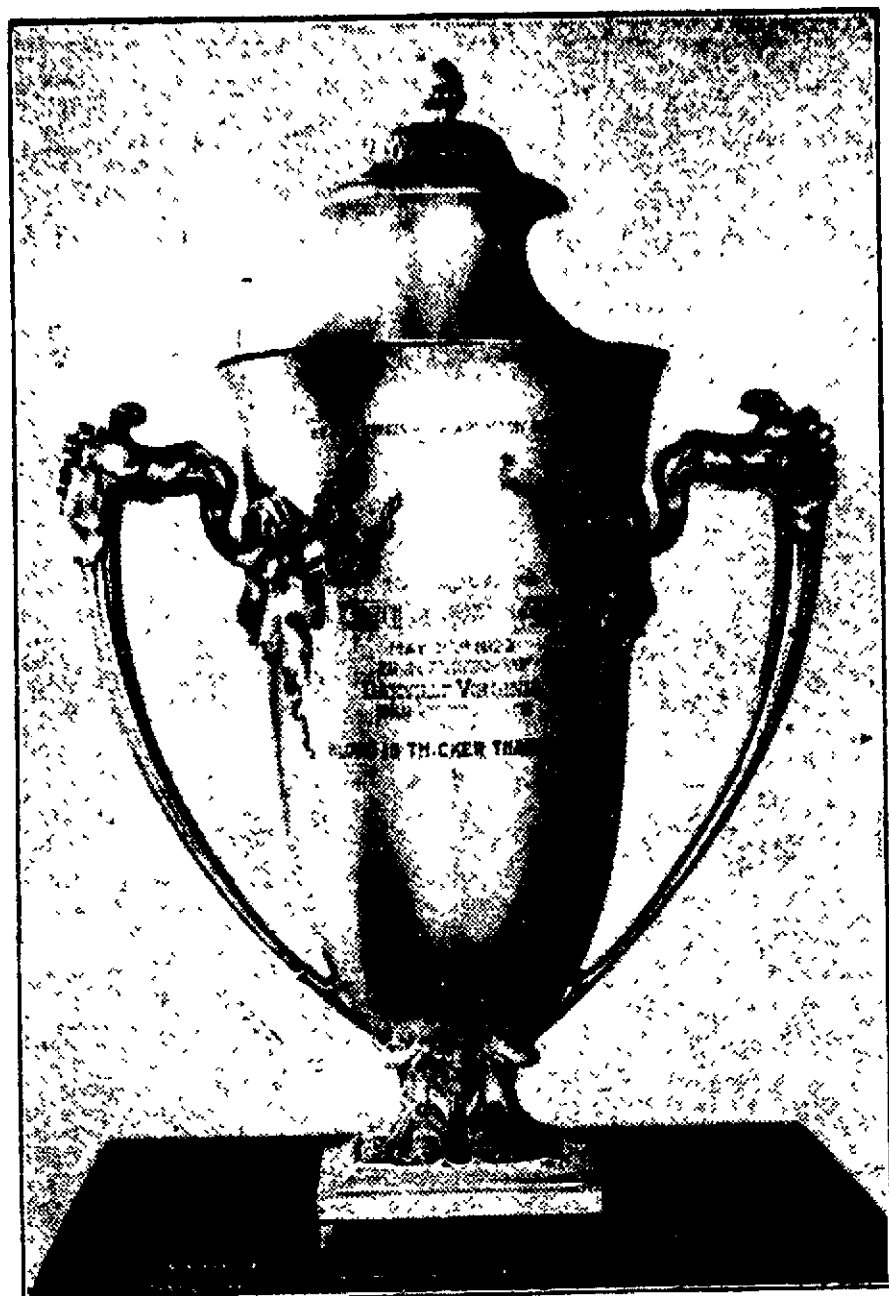
LINGERIE PLAYS A MOST IMPORTANT PART IN THIS PICTURE

It is Shown in Vast Variety in Cecil B. De Mille's Production of "Saturday Night."

Lingerie plays such an important part in Cecil B. De Mille's latest Paramount production, "Saturday Night," which is to be shown at the Broadway theatre, next Monday and Tuesday, that Clara West, fashion designer for Mr. De Mille, was forced to devote the entire attention of her force of seamstresses to the making of these articles of midday's wardrobe for several days prior to production work.

Not all of these dainty bits of feminine apparel are worn in the picture. Most of them serve only as "props." They appear on the screen in the form of garters and clothing lines, in jewelry baskets and in wardrobe chests. But they are all different and beautiful. And a few very few are actually worn. It is whispered that Leatrice Joy, Edith Roberts, Conrad Nagel, Jack Moker, Julia Faye, Edythe Roberts, Sylvia Ashton, Theodore Roberts, James Neil, John Davidson and others appear in the all-time best of "Saturday Night." Not all of them are intimately associated with the lingerie, but most of the feminine players find pictorial use for it, on one or another in the story.

LOVING CUP PRESENTED TO LADY ASTOR BY CITIZENS OF DANVILLE



The following inscription appears on the loving cup:
En Dat Virginia Filiam Matri Vestustae
(Behold Virginia gives a daughter to her own old mother.)
To Viscountess
Nancy Langhorne Astor
May 6th, 1922
From Citizens of
Danville, Virginia
Her Birthplace
Blood is thicker than water.

To the rear is the following verse:
"There is a spirit of a place
That calls to us through time and space
A sky above, a soil beneath
Appealing from our native heath."

AMONG THE CHURCHES

Cabell Street Methodist—Rev. O. B. Newton, pastor. The largest Sunday school in the city meets at 9:45. All departments well organized to help pupils young men, old. Barack class for young men, J. W. Benton, teacher. Splendid school orchestra. Dr. Raymond Scruggs, leader. 10:15, brotherhood Bible class for men. Subject, "A War of Nations." Sermon by the pastor, "His Relation to the Holy Spirit." Sacramental service, reception of members upon profession of faith and by letter. Prayer service at 7:30 by Rev. S. J. Battin, president elect of Danville district.

Union Hill Baptist church—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. superintended by H. S. Williams. Preaching at 11:15. Sermon by the pastor, J. D. Kesler. The E. Y. P. U. will have the service in charge Sunday night, helped by the pastor.

The Shelton Memorial Presbyterian church—Rev. C. L. Garrison, pastor. At 11 a. m. services and Dr. Kate Barrett will speak at 8 p. m. The public is invited to hear these distinguished speakers. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. and at Farrar School at 11:15. The afternoon C. E. Society at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Calvary Methodist church, South—Corner Main and Campbell streets. Rev. Joseph T. Allen, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Herbert M. Martin, supt. Organized classes and all departments for Sunday school work. Good orchestra. Services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The pastor will preach at the morning hour. Subject, "Disappointed Because of Looking for the Wrong Thing." At the evening hour Hon. Hoge Ricks, Judge of Domestic Relations and Juvenile court of Richmond, Va., will speak. Prayer service Wednesday 8 p. m. We extend a cordial welcome to the public to attend these services.

Main Street Methodist church—Dr. J. N. Latham, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. All departments organized and classes for men and women. Good music led by the orchestra. A. D. Keen, supt. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning subject, "The Hidden Sacchario." Evening subject, "The First Trophy of the Cross." Communion service at the close of the morning sermon.

The First Baptist church—James M. Sholburne, D. D. pastor. Makes the following announcements for Sunday: C. B. Clements, supt., will open the Sunday school promptly at 9:30. He cordially invites the people of the community and visitors in the city to share in this work and profits of the school. At the morning hour President J. P. McConnell, of Richmond, Va., will speak. At the evening hour, 8:00 o'clock, Mr. Frank P. Bane, Richmond, Va., will speak. Junior and Senior B. Y. P. U. meetings at 7:00 o'clock.

Sacred Heart church (Catholic)—Hobbrook and Rose streets. Rev. A. J. Halbach, pastor. Rev. P. A. Blackburn, assistant. Mass on Sundays at 8 and 11. Sunday school 9:30. Mass on week-days 7:30.

Lee Street Baptist church—M. W. Royall, pastor. Sunday school convenes promptly at 9:30 with a conference of the workers and teachers at 9:45. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Subject, "Our Father, after which the Lord's Supper will be administered. Preaching at 8 p. m. by Dr. W. J. Maybee, of Richmond. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. on Saturday, at 11:30 and Sunday at 2 p. m.

Christian Science Society—537 Main street, opposite postoffice. Services Sunday 11 a. m. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting 8 p. m.

Epiphany church—Main street and Jefferson avenue. Rev. Malcolm S. Taylor, rector. 9:30 a. m. church school and young men's Bible class. 10 a. m. Bible classes for men and women. 11 a. m. Holy communion and sermon by Rev. R. V. Lancaster, chaplain of the State penitentiary. 8 p. m. evening prayer and sermon by Dr. E. Reinhold Rogers, superintendent of the Boys Industrial school, Covington, Va. All are cordially invited to the classes and services.

Jefferson Avenue Christian church—Rev. C. L. Garrison, pastor. Bible school 9:45 a. m. orchestra prelude 9:30. Rally and decision day in the school, S. E. Hall, supt. Sermon and communion at 11 o'clock. Sermon by Rev. Ben M. Edwards, special musical features under directorship of R. W. Pollock. Christian Endeavor meeting at 7:00 p. m. Evening service 7:45. The Edwards-Pollock evangelistic party will remain over Sunday, the series of meetings closing Tuesday night.

Mount Vernon Methodist church—J. Callaway Robinson, pastor. J. Callaway Robinson, supt. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Morning service 11 a. m. Evening service 8 p. m. at which time Mayor A. L. Roper, of Norfolk, teacher of one of the largest men's classes in the city will speak. Escaladers 7 p. m. Mid-week service Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Keen Street Baptist church—Rev. J. Clyde Holland, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. W. C. Cheney, Jr., supt. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. by the pastor.

Moffett Memorial Baptist church—Rev. C. J. D. Parker, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. T. W. Wilkins, supt. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Rev. P. C. Craft, president of Riveret College, will preach morning and night.

Burton Memorial Presbyterian—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. E. P. Campbell, supt. The school continues to grow steadily; organized classes for all ages. Young People's Society 7:15. Consecration meeting and some very important business. Preaching at 11:00 and 8:00. Morning subject, "The Shadow and the Substance of Life." Evening subject, "Who Can?" The various circles will hold their monthly meetings Tuesday afternoon and evening.

WORK OF VARIOUS BOARDS OF CHURCH UNDER DISCUSSION

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., May 5.—Activities of various boards of the church were discussed today at the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, in session here. Dr. R. E. Morgan of Oklahoma presided at the discussion by introducing a memorial from the West Oklahoma conference asking that a special committee of 15 members be constituted to devise ways and means of reducing the number of general boards by consolidation.

At the present time the general activities of the church are carried on under the direction of boards of missions, Sunday schools, Epworth leagues, education, church extension and finance. The Morgan memorial seeks to reduce this number to four. It is claimed by those to the memorial that consolidation could not be accomplished because of legal difficulties involving charters and the control of trust funds. The memorial was adopted, however, and the college of bishops was asked to appoint the committee.

The bishops today appointed a committee on introductions and fraternal relations. J. M. Rogers, of Savannah, Ga., and Plato Durham, of Atlanta.

CHATHAM PLANS DEMONSTRATION FOR LADY ASTOR

A demonstration is being planned for Lady Astor and her party as train No. 44 bears them through Chatham this morning. The ladies' organization of the city are making plans for a large turnout at the station, not only of members of the organization but of the townspeople generally. The League of Women Voters and the U. D. C. of Chatham were instrumental in planning the event.

A representative of these two organizations called a reported o The Register over long distance last night and said that it was not expected that Lady Astor made a speech at Chatham since she had spent such a strenuous day yesterday, but it was hoped that she would come out on the platform and greet the ladies.

COL. W. M. KEMPER, NEW HEAD OF D. M. I. HERE FOR SEVERAL DAYS

Col. W. M. Kemper, president-elect of D. M. I., arrived in the city yesterday to make arrangements for taking over the property in June. He will be in the city until Monday and during that time will make a careful survey of conditions at the school and attend to such other business as will be necessary.

ENTERTAINERS AT LUNCH

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Meade yesterday at 1:30 o'clock entertained a party of visitors to meet Lord Astor and Mrs. Gibson. The invited guests included Lord Astor, Mrs. Gibson, Chilly Perkins, W. H. Langhorne, Mrs. Robert Walker, Salt Lake City, Mrs. Howard McClinton of Pittsburg, Colorado, Mrs. U. S. N., and Miss Harriet James.

Personals

Miss Georgia Gwynn is spending the week-end with Mrs. Avot Harndon Jr., on South Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Fitzgerald are in New York city.

Mrs. Wiley is the guest of Mrs. Sidney Miron on Main street.

Miss T. Sutherland of Sutherland, Va., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Peerman on Holbrook avenue.

Mrs. E. W. Hagerdon, who has been the guest of relatives in Meridian, Miss., has returned home.

Miss Lucy Stovall and Mrs. Harry Davis of Martinsville are the week-end guests of Mrs. Harry Lea, on Mt. Vernon avenue.

Mrs. Wrightman, of New York, is the guest of Mrs. Julian Robinson.

Mrs. Lucile Catlett, of Asheville, N. C., is visiting Mrs. Lee Boatwright.

Mrs. R. B. James is visiting her daughter, Miss Harriet James, at Sweetbriar.

Mrs. W. B. Fanshawe of Petersburg is visiting Mrs. Julian Robinson.

W. R. Fitzgerald of Ingram, Va., is in the city.

Mrs. Greenboro, N. C. Cunningham of Greensboro, N. C. was here yesterday to attend the Astor celebration.

J. W. Moorehead of Greensboro, N. C. was a visitor in Danville yesterday.

RAIN POSTPONES GAME AT WINSTON

(Special Telephone Service.)
WINSTON, May 5.—The game scheduled for this afternoon between the Virginians and the Twins was postponed on account of wet grounds. The weather had been favorable until about half an hour before the game when a downpour began and continued until time to start and by this time the grounds were too wet to play.

LUTHERAN SERVICES HERE ON MONDAY

Lutheran services will be held in the Sunday school room of the Episcopal church, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The Rev. W. A. Lutz of Charlotte, N. C., will conduct the services.

Mrs. L. D. Bullock, of Rocky Mount, who has been attending the Woman's Club convention in Robertboro, is in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kess, 870 Main street.

Lieutenant Commander Jules James, U. S. N., tactical officer of the Atlantic fleet and chief aide to Admiral Hilary P. Jones is in the city visiting his parents.

SOLDIERS HOSPITAL WILL BE BUILT

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The \$17,000,000 soldier hospital bill, making immediate available \$12,000,000 for beginning construction of institutions in twelve of the fourteen Veterans Bureau districts, was passed tonight by the House. It now goes to the Senate.

Mrs. L. G. Covey, who was operated on at the General hospital about ten days ago was carried home yesterday afternoon. The operation was successful and she is recovering rapidly.

Mrs. C. A. Perkins, of Shady Grove, was taken to General hospital yesterday afternoon, and immediately underwent a serious operation.



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Conditions In State Improving

Industrial Lines As Whole Show Increased Activity —Improvement in Unemployment Noted Also.

BY GERGE H. MANNING,
(Washington Correspondent of The Danville Bee.)

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Industrial conditions have steadily improved during the past month in Virginia as a whole, and despite a few disquieting industrial features the country is surely righting itself, the employment service of the United States Department of Labor reports in its monthly survey for April, issued today.

Employment conditions have improved in practically all lines, with iron and steel, metals, chemicals, automobiles, lumber, vehicles, stone, clay and glass trades.

Of the 65 large industrial centers of the country, 40 report increased employment during April over March and 25 report increased unemployment.

Despite an apparent slight reduction in the number employed in Richmond, the employment situation is reported considerably improved, marked improvement is noted in Norfolk with improvements shown in Lynchburg, Petersburg and Danville.

Industrial lines as a whole will show increased activity in May, the employment service predicts.

The Labor Department's report for Virginia in general and for the principal industrial cities of the state is as follows:

Despite some slight decreases in employment, a general feeling of optimism is prevailing in many sections. Marked increases in employment were made in the iron and steel and chemical industries. Lumber, leather and railroad repair shops show slight increases in employment.

Richmond—Unemployment is fast passing away. More persons are now employed in construction work than a month ago. The demand for carpenters, plasterers, painters and paper-hangers is equalled by the supply. Unemployment is prevalent with mechanics, boiler-makers and pattern-makers. Unemployment in iron and steel is greatly improved, while lumber shows a slight increase.

Norfolk—Outlook for improved business conditions satisfactory. Slight but gratifying increases in food and kindred products, iron and steel, lumber, chemicals, stone, clay and glass products and miscellaneous industries.

Lynchburg—A decided improvement in the employment situation has taken place. Local industries are increasing production. Unemployment greatly reduced and principally confined to unskilled labor. Chemical industry shows greatest improvement, recalling 322 workers, while lumber and railroad repair shops show a substantial improvement. Slight increases in employment also noted in leather, vehicles and miscellaneous industries. Food and kindred products show material decrease in employment.

Petersburg—Improvement in industrial employment is looked forward to within 30 days.

Danville—Unemployment is confined to unskilled labor. Building construction has absorbed those in skilled trades.

No Cooties On The Leviathan

NORFOLK, May 5.—Denial that any "cooties," or other members of the species, are infesting the liner Leviathan, now being repaired at the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock Company, has been issued by Homer L. Peterson, president of that company. Press dispatches emanating from Norfolk are to the effect that the giant liner was not "deloused" when her career as an army transport was over, and that "cooties" are plentiful aboard her.

Captain J. W. Reynolds, chief of the shipyard police, was in Norfolk yesterday investigating the origin of the newspaper article telling of the alleged presence of the lice on the big ship. The article was published in a Newport News paper, under a Norfolk date-line.

Seine Leaves Its Banks

PARIS, May 5.—Much damage is being caused by the overflow of the Seine river, which continues to rise. Navigation is at a standstill and many wharves are flooded. The famous Percy docks and cellars containing thousands of cases of wine of all vintages are underwater.

French Police Accuse Russians Of Planting Spies At 200 Points

PARIS, May 5.—Claiming to have discovered the existence of a highly developed espionage system organized by Communists in France for the benefit of the Russian Soviet government, the French police today made three arrests and promised numerous others within a few days.

The espionage scheme, they declared, involves 200 operatives, and has ramifications in Brast-Lorient, Toulon and also in powder factories in the north of France and arsenals near Paris.

Secret documents have been stolen from the Brast arsenal, according to the police revelations, and from the largest powder factory in the center of France, and they claim to have traced that regular couriers have been passing espionage centers in France and Berlin, where documents were

State T. P. A. Elects Roy J. Charles As President

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in the matter of dues. Where the annual payments are prepaid, membership can be secured for \$10.50, instead of \$11, which is the present scale.

The banquet at Hyatt Hall last night was the feature of the social side of the convention. The addresses heard there were of great interest to the members, who also were impressed by the speeches made by Lord and Lady Astor, an account of which appears elsewhere.

The good roads resolution adopted is as follows:
Whereas, the Travelers' Protective association, Virginia division, has at all times earnestly advocated the construction by the state of an adequate system of connected highways as speedily as possible, because of the full realization of its membership that the lack of connected highways reaching each county in the state and connecting the centers of population with another constitute the chief handicap to the proper development of the commonwealth, commercially, agriculturally and socially;

Whereas, the Travelers' Protective association, Virginia division, along with the Virginia Good Roads association and other state-wide organizations, local chambers of commerce and other civic bodies, Governor E. Lee Trinkle and other public leaders did advocate before the general assembly of 1922 the passage of a bond issue of \$12,000,000 to supplement current revenues for the construction of the state highway system during 1922-23;

Whereas, the bond issue bill with its companion measure of a tax of one cent on gasoline which would provide for the payment of the interest and the retirement of the bonds with-out any increase in the general tax rate passed the Senate and failed of passage in the House of Delegates by a small majority, and
Whereas, a canvass of the House of Delegates showed conclusively that the majority of the members personally favored the bond issue, and that some of the members who so favored the bond issue felt that they were bound by instructions given them in the primaries in August, and
Whereas, conditions are even more favorable at the present time for the issuance of bonds for state highway construction than they were during the session of the General Assembly, namely, a more favorable bond market and lower costs of materials and labor;

Whereas, it is evident from the recent action of funds for state highway construction for 1922 and the even more limited funds for 1923, that it is impossible for the state of Virginia out of current funds for road purposes, to construct the highway system as rapidly as the needs of the state through highway transportation demand, or in keeping with the progress which is being made by the neighboring states of West Virginia, North Carolina and Maryland, therefore,

Be it resolved, that the Travelers' Protective association, Virginia division in convention assembled hereby request the Hon. E. Lee Trinkle, governor of the commonwealth of Virginia, to call the General Assembly in extra-ordinary session as early as in his wisdom he may deem it wise to do so, for the purpose of considering the authorization of the issuance of state highway bonds to the amount of \$12,000,000 at an interest rate of not to exceed four and a half per cent properly safeguarded and that we do hereby respectfully request the members of the General Assembly to vote for this bond issue and the companion measure of a gasoline tax of one cent per gallon on gasoline, advocated by Governor Trinkle in his address before the General Assembly on March 3, 1922.

Be it further resolved, that copies of this resolution be sent to the governor of the commonwealth and to each member of the General Assembly.

J. Y. WILLIAMS, Chairman.

WANTKNOWIT CLUB MET THIS MORNING

An interesting meeting of the Wantknokit club of the boy's division of the Y. M. C. A. was held in the club room this morning.

Frank N. Hamlin gave a most interesting talk to the boys, giving many rich and helpful illustrations from incidents in his own life. During his talk the speaker showed them the successful men in business today made their way to their present positions by always doing a little more than their duty and that the time to commence in this life was in early boyhood, so that it might become a habit and natural for the boy and later on the man.

Following the address, the following were elected to office for the coming month: Robert Farley, president, and Julian Meade, recording secretary.

Crisis Reached In Conference

(By The Associated Press.)
GENOA, May 6.—The most critical stage of the conference, arising through differences between the allies over the memorandum to Russia and the attitude of the Russians themselves is declared by the Italian spokesmen to have been reached.

Marcel Cachin, leader of the Communist party in France, said today: "It is a strange coincidence that the discovery of a huge plot against the national security of France should come when the French delegation is engaged in bitter opposition to the Soviet delegation in Genoa. Impartial observers will not be fooled by the attempt of the capitalist government to discredit the Soviet. It only succeeds in making France appear as a huge arsenal and an armed camp."

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Not a Trick Photograph



You might think this double exposure photograph, but it isn't. Scrambled twins—Lawrence Blockstock, Winston Doty, Lester Blockstock and Weston Doty—just two of the nine pairs that attend one school in Los Angeles.

College Murder Stirs Columbia

Professor and University Marshall Found Shot to Death in Treasurer's Office.

(By The Associated Press.)
COLUMBIA, S. C., May 6.—Professor M. Goode Holmes and Ben Hale, university marshal, were shot to death in the treasurer's office of the University of South Carolina. The bodies were found by W. T. Holland, a student, who heard shots while passing the building. A pistol was found near the bodies. There were no witnesses, and little is known of the case. The police and the coroner are investigating.

FATHER CLAIMS SON HIDDEN BY LAD'S MOTHER

RICHMOND, May 5.—Bernard Kerrick, aged fourteen, believed to be an orphan and adopted by Richard B. Kerrick, Richmond, has left the city. For fourteen years the father of the boy, a millionaire, has been searching for him. The story is that the mother of the boy, a tobacco magnate, divorced, had hidden the child, and detectives have been seeking to get a trace of it since that time. The boy was employed in a local establishment at \$1 a day.

The father appeared at the home of the Kerricks a day or two ago and had a talk with the foster father and mother, and the identity of the child was established. The man then handed to Mrs. Kerrick a check for \$2,000 and took the boy away, first giving him \$50 for pocket money.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerrick decline to make known any of the facts in the matter, saying that they must regard the confidence of the man, but the fact is the boy is gone. He is to be given a complete education, and when he shall have reached the age of twenty-one he will inherit several millions of dollars. The story is that his father may be a resident either of a North Carolina town, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore or Washington.

It is known that he is not dependent on his daily labor for his bread. Within the last month, say those who know, the boy's mother, having remarried, was traveling in the South and was killed in an automobile accident. The foster parents of the boy will not make any statement regarding the affair, and they will not make known the destination of the father and son when they left this city.

N. C. UNIVERSITY WINS TOURNEY

DURHAM, N. C., May 5.—The University of North Carolina carried off the Intercollegiate track tournaments of the first annual North Carolina Olympic games that might become a state college was a close second, scoring 47½ points against Carolina's 54½ points.

L. P. Hazer, of this city, won the shooting tournament out with a score of 34 out of 100.

The University of North Carolina team won the swimming matches, scoring 29 points against the State's 21.

The intercollegiate tennis finals will not be played until tomorrow, rain stopping the contests today after a few preliminaries.

Only one game was played in the baseball tournament, Oak Ridge Institute defeating the 11th field artillery of Camp Bragg.

The Burlington High school won the high school track tournament. Finals will be held tomorrow in all classes.

SEVEN MEMBERS OF FAMILY DIE

L'ORIGINAL, Ont., May 5.—Sympathetic neighbors who spent the night making coffins today tenderly lowered into the ground the bodies of seven members of the LaCroix family, who died yesterday after having been mysteriously poisoned.

It was first believed that a meal of wild parsnips caused death. Dr. Hans T. Gussom, chief biologist of the central experimental farm, declared today, however, that this herb was not poisonous. Further investigation is being made.

Living Cost Too High For Poles at Genoa

WARSAW, May 5.—The high cost of living at Genoa was responsible for the return here today of the larger part of the Polish delegation of secretaries and stenographers.

The Polish delegation at the Economic Conference now consists of only three persons. The cost of maintaining the entire delegation, it was said, amounted to several million Polish marka daily.

Arbuckle Film Ban Is Praised

Resolutions Reported to Range from Aid for the Mothers to Dry Enforcement.

GREENSBORO, N. C., May 5.—The North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs in annual session here, continued at high speed today and moved through a full day of business. Outstanding in the events of the day was the adoption of the federation platform including the legislative platform for the coming year.

As reported by Miss Gertrude Will, of Goldsboro, the resolutions range from strictly North Carolina affairs all the way to commendation of Will Hays for suppression of the Roscoe Arbuckle films. Among the planks for which women will fight are the raising of the age of consent to 16 years, the establishment of the Australian ballot; providing that parents have equal guardianship over their children, adoption of declaratory act by the legislature that women have the right to serve as jurors; a strong resolution governing state restrictions of moving pictures, removal of the disqualification against a woman testifying in her own behalf on an indictment for abduction or seduction unless her testimony is corroborated by some other witness; state aid for mothers and a form of teachers' pension, and stricter enforcement of the prohibition laws.

Mrs. T. W. Bickett, widow of former Governor Bickett, of North Carolina, spoke in the interest of "better babies." She told of the educational work of the bureau of maternity and infant hygiene, of which she is the head in this state, and said it was the purpose of the bureau to have a trained public nurse in every county in the state.

Mrs. Bickett said that out of 83,000 babies born in North Carolina in 1920, 8,000 were born dead or died before they reached the age of one year, and the health of the mother was permanently injured because of ignorance or lack of care. It is this condition that Mrs. Bickett wishes to better. The convention will close tomorrow.

Election of officers was held. Those elected are: Mrs. Thomas L. Gwyn, Waverlyville, first vice president, Mrs. R. S. Perdue, Raleigh, recording secretary, and Mrs. Clyde Eby, New Bern, treasurer.

Mrs. Sydney P. Cooper, of Henderson, president, will hold office until the annual meeting of the federation next year as will other officers not elected today.

Next Week's Weather

RICHMOND, May 6.—Considerable cloudiness and occasional showers. Normal temperature.

Returns Marriage License To Office

RICHMOND, Va., May 5.—Herbert Smith Burnett, day watchman employed in the Mutual building, who took out a license here April 22, to marry Miss Julia Bledsoe Moody, of this city, returned it today stating that the marriage had been called off and that the bride-to-be had gone to West Virginia to make her home. Burnett, who is 42 years old and divorced, described himself as a "free lance."

Miss Moody's age was given as 31.

Food Zones Planned for Distress Districts

NATCHEZ, Miss., May 5.—(By The Associated Press.)—Under the direction of Adjutant General G. L. Toombs, who was sent to the inundated areas adjacent to the Weccaco, levee above Ferriday by Governor Parker, of Louisiana, measures were begun today for the relief of flood sufferers in Concordia parish.

It was announced by General Toombs that three food zones would be established under the direction of officers of the Louisiana national guard. The distribution of food is expected to begin tomorrow.

It was stated that the food zones would be established at Ferriday, Vidalia and Forrest. It is estimated that 7,000 people in the three areas must be provided for.

Harding Gives Wood Free Choice Of Post

WASHINGTON, May 5.—President Harding, in a message transmitted through Secretary Weeks today Major Gen. Wood that the Administration had decided his retention of the Governor-Generalship of the Philippines or his resignation to accept the pro-vice of the University of Pennsylvania, rested wholly with himself.

Baby Born in Richmond Named After Lady Nancy

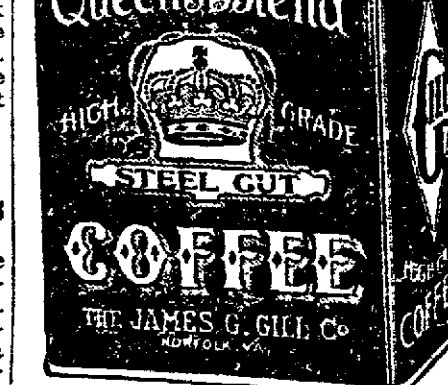
RICHMOND, May 5.—Nancy Langhorne Astor Anderson is the name of a new arrival in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Anderson, on East Main street, near the old Langhorne home which was located at 311 East Main street. The little one was promptly named for Lady Astor, and the following telegram was dispatched to her at Danville:

"Nancy Langhorne Astor Anderson was born near your old home today. May she prove a worthy namesake!"

Mrs. Anderson was formerly Miss Josie Althea Northington, of Petersburg. Her husband is a well known business man of this city.

Satan's Kingdom All Lit Up

WINSTED, Conn., May 5.—Residents of Satan's Kingdom, a small settlement nine miles east of here, with State built roads and telephones, are discarding tallow candles and oil lamps, after using them for a century, for electric lights. Every house in the place except one has just been wired.



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Curiously enough, "Linda Lee, Inc." was written in every detail before the occurrence of that tragedy in real life which focused the attention of the United States on Hollywood—and was inspired by the author's memory of a conversation with a famous star and her husband, in which we agreed that, providing means were not found to stem the excesses of a certain element more conspicuous than representative of Hollywood, some such tragedy was inevitably to be expected.

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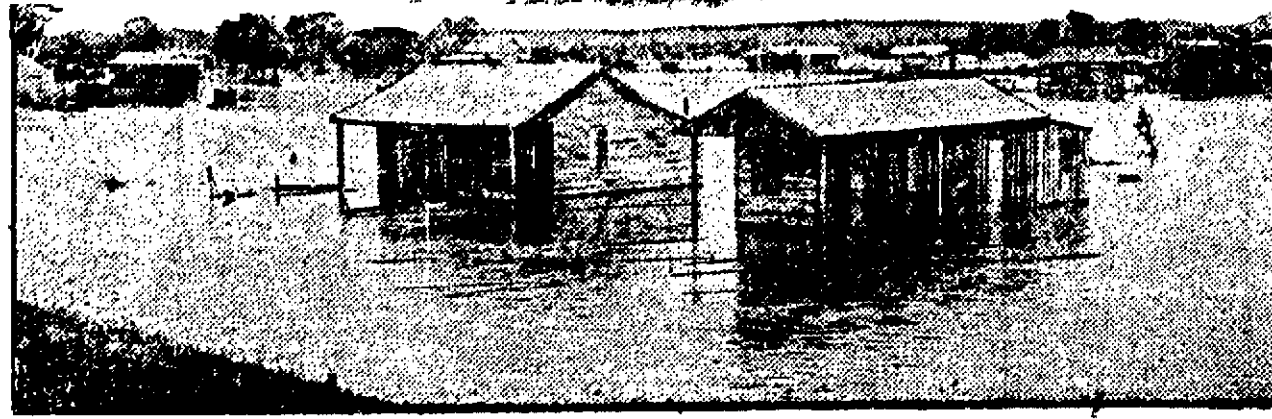
News Pictures

Exchanging Views On Carpentier



Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion (center) promenading at the Epsom Downs races with Joe Beckett, British heavyweight (right). Georges Carpentier knocked out Beckett before Jack trimmed Georges.

DRAMA OF THE LOWLANDS



Levee breaks at Poydras, 12 miles below New Orleans. Water inundates homes. Families flee to higher ground. Men drive cattle and other dumb beasts of the field to safety at Violet, neighboring town.



Baby, asleep in its basket when levee broke. Father took it to a landing. Rescue launch carried it to mainland. And "It" slept through the whole thing!

Prince Of Wales Arrives In Japan



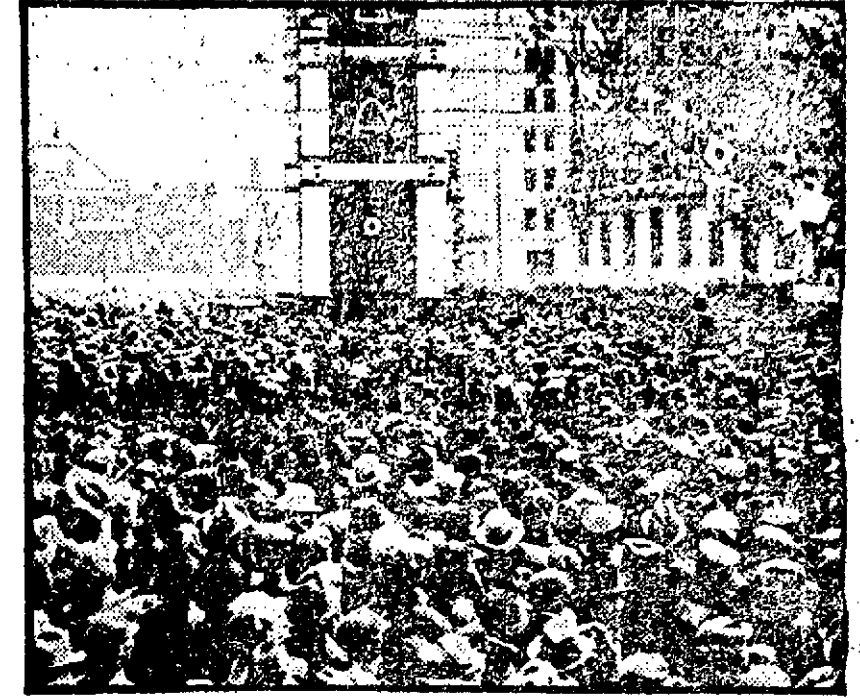
The Prince of Wales inspects the Imperial University of Tokio shortly after his arrival. This is the first photograph to reach America since his arrival in Nippon.

One Cat Hubby Can't Put Out



Mrs. Herbert Cole, San Francisco, keeps two cats—one an everyday "tiger," the other a sure-enough lion, one and one-half years old. One's as tame as the other. Address did it, she says.

Greeting the Prince Of Wales



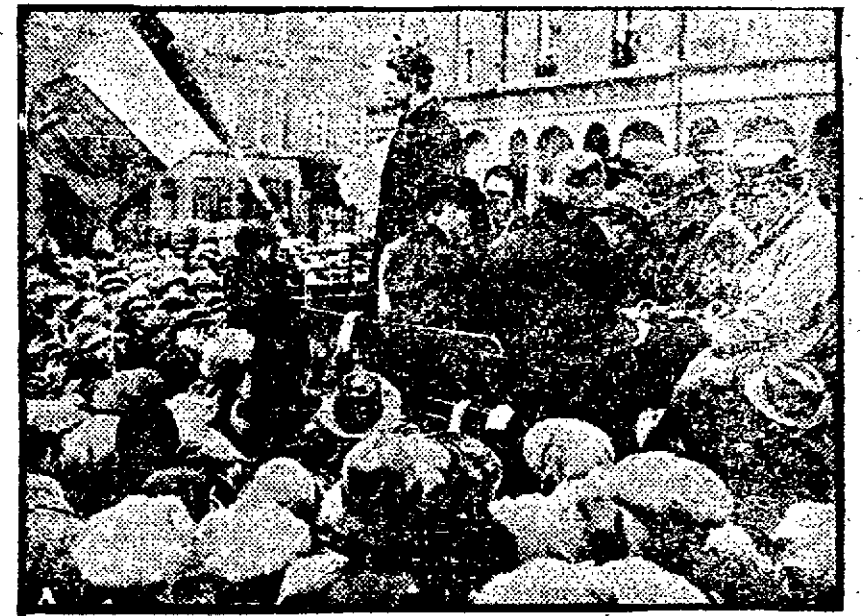
Just a little corner of the immense throng that gathered to greet the Prince of Wales when he visited Tokio. The column is part of a "London Bridge" erected in his honor.

Wants Henry To Get Shoals



Roy Darden, ex-soldier, is touring the south on his own hook to get 100,000 name son petition to give Muscle Shoals to Henry Ford. Here he is at Nashville with Alf Taylor, Tennessee governor.

De Valera Addresses Irish Throng



Eamonn de Valera, former president of the Irish republic, is continuing his agitation for complete Irish independence. Here he's shown addressing a street gathering at Enniscorthy.

STILL FIND STILLS IN WEST VIRGINIA



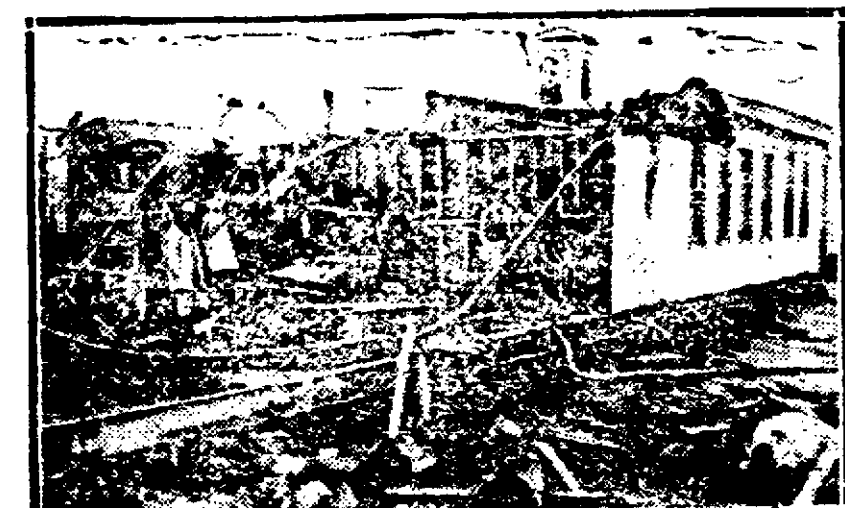
Who said they'd stopped making moonshine liquor in the hills of West Virginia? Show him this complete booze-making outfit, surrounded by State officers who seized it in a mountain farmhouse.

When Sun Yat Sen Was Victor



A parade of victory recently in Canton when the forces of Dr. Sun Yat Sen were victorious in northern China. That engagement had no connection with the present war between Wu Peifu and Chang Tso-lin, although Sun Yat Sen is reported to be battling Chang Tso-lin.

Second U. S. Treasury Building Blaze



The second fire in two months on the roof of the Treasury Building, Washington, caused \$25,000 loss. President Harding, from the White House, watched the blaze.



General K. M. Tsiang, Chinese leader in China's civil war.



West Virginia still, showing a mountain still. But what happened to the still's product?



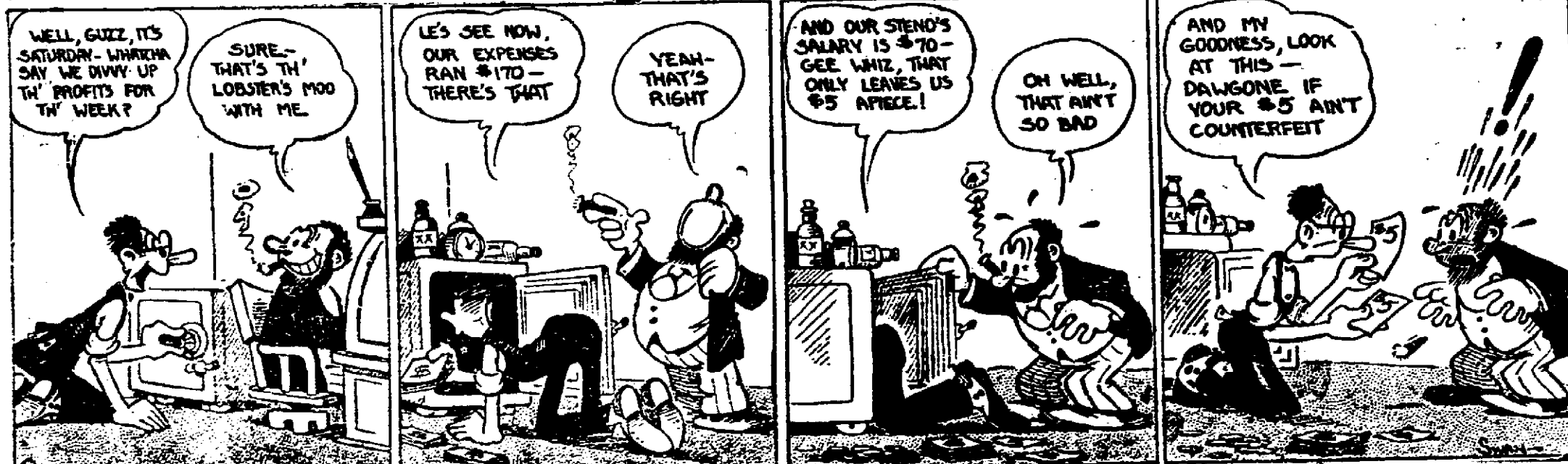
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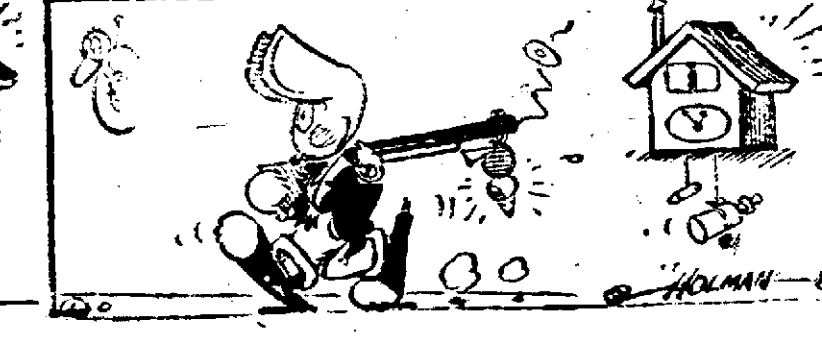
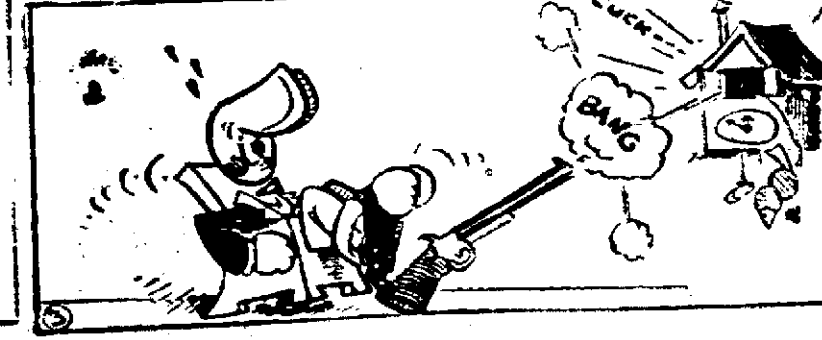
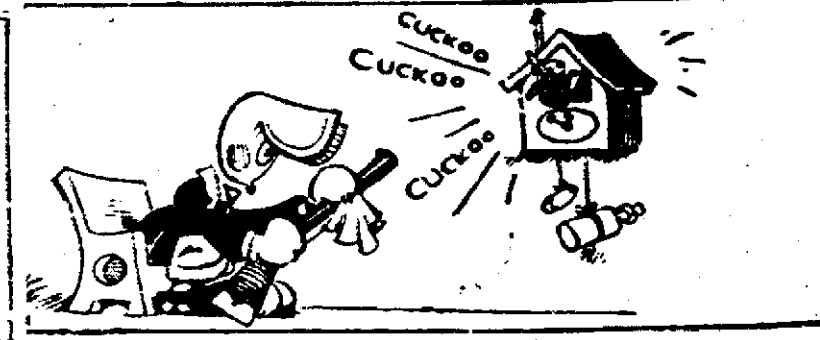
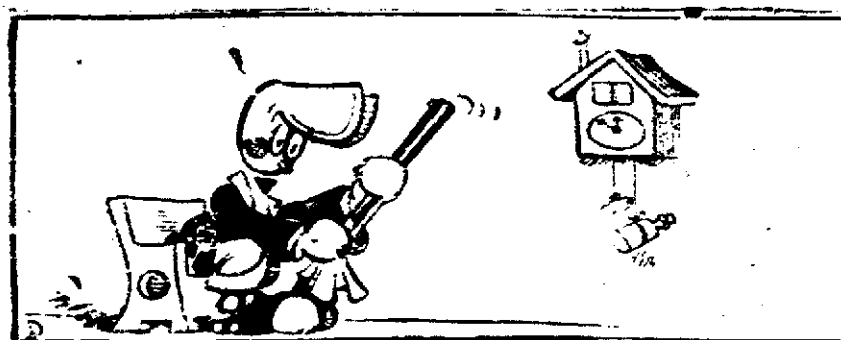
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Which One Looks Best?

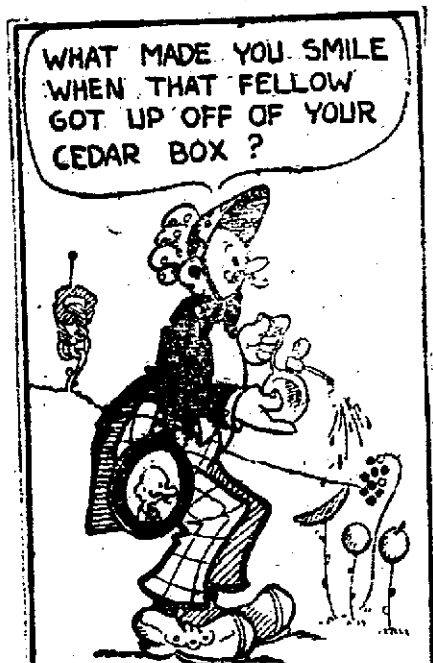
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INDIANAPOLIS, May 5.—The British colors will figure in the parade before the tenth annual 500-mile race on the Indianapolis motor speedway May 30.

Secretary Manager T. E. Meyers has received by cable a definite entry from W. Douglas Hawkes of a Bentley car. It is expected Louis Coelen will make an eleventh-hour entry of a team of Subeams, but this is not quite certain.

Jules Goux is in this country with two new Ballot mounts, but has not yet announced his teammate.

The mutilage on United States postage stamps is made of sweet potatoes.

Divorce cases in Paris have declined because of the house shortage.

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Merrier, cf.	4 0 1 2 0 0
Leman, 1b.	3 1 1 2 0 0
Carroll, 1b.	1 1 1 0 0 0
Donaldson, 1b.	4 1 1 0 0 0
Teague, 2b.	3 1 1 0 0 0
Dorman, ss.	4 0 1 0 0 0
Smith, 3b.	4 0 2 0 0 0
Seaton, c.	4 0 1 2 0 0
Crews, p.	2 0 1 1 1 0

Totals: 32 4 7 23 19 0

Winston out on infield fly.

Raleigh Ab. R. H. Po. A. E.

Winston, cf.	4 1 1 0 0 0
Duncan, rf.	2 0 1 0 0 0
Davis, 1b.	4 0 1 0 0 0
Floyd, 1b.	4 1 0 1 0 0
Johnson, 2b.	4 0 0 1 0 0
Bandremer, 2b.	3 0 1 1 0 0
Nemox, ss.	3 0 1 2 1 0
Kearney, c.	2 0 1 0 1 0
Allen, p.	0 0 0 0 0 0
Tippett, p.	3 0 1 1 2 0

Totals: 29 3 5 24 9 1

Score by innings: R. H. E.

Greensboro 400 000 00—4

Raleigh 200 000 00—2

Summary: Two-base hits, Dorman, Donaldson, Duncan, 4; Raleigh, 4; Winston, 2; Hays, 1; Tip-

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YANCEYVILLE NEWS ITEMS

YANCEYVILLE, May 5.—The continued rains this week have caused much disappointment to those who expected to attend the Music Festival in Danville.

Commencement exercises for all the schools of the county were held last Saturday in the court house here.

The address was made by Mr. C. E. Phillips, of the Durham schools.

Notwithstanding the rain, a large crowd was in attendance.

John A. Massey, of the Yanceyville Motor Co., has installed a radio-telephone and the people of Yanceyville are enjoying the novel and wonderful experience which it affords.

The county commissioners were in regular session Monday. Many business visitors from various parts of the county were in the village that day among whom were Messrs. Fitzgerald, Swann, Pryor, Balise and Gibbs of Pelham, W. L. Taylor and Osborne Smith, of Semora, J. E. Tucker and M. C. Winstead, of Milton, Frank Harrison and ex-Sheriff Fitch, of Hayesville.

The Yanceyville High school, commencement is in progress this week. Prof. Craft, of Averett College is to deliver the address to the school Saturday morning.

Mrs. Thomas A. Harrelson and daughter, Ruth, of Richmond, are visiting at the home of Mr. W. N. Harrelson.

Messrs. C. E. Brewer and James P. Burke, of Reidsville, spent Monday in Yanceyville.

B. S. Graves, accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Graves and Miss Ruth Harrelson spent Tuesday in Wentworth and Reidsville.

Mrs. A. E. Henderson, who has been spending the winter in Memphis, Tenn., with her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Newton, arrived in Yanceyville, Wednesday, to be at her old home during the summer.

L. M. Carter, of Roxboro, was in town yesterday representing A. L. James of Orange county who was arrested last week on charges of transporting and receiving whisky. The case was continued until May 11, on behalf of the State.

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As Lady Astor and Lord Astor entered the room, the entire party arose spontaneously and cheered them. Coming just within the door accompanied by Archibald D. Keen and a few others, chairs were thrust aside to provide a place for a speaker to stand and face the audience.

Opening with a bit of amiable banter directed to the traveling men, the speaker informed them that she didn't want to buy any of their old goods and not to expect any such thing and more such pleasantry, Lady Astor soon turned to more serious themes.

Among other things she touched upon the length she told the audience something about the war as seen by one in England. In a sense it was a delineation of the well known conservatism and reticence of the old Britisher, but as she proceeded she gave the travelers a glimpse of what England suffered in silence and told how the permitted the heroism and the sacrifices of the colonial troops to be lauded and proclaimed to the world, while nothing was said about their own, although the latter were ten fold greater.

She related incidents that dated in that crucial autumn of 1914 when they with their quiet heroism alone stood between the Germans and Paris. The speaker did not disparage the courage or the efficiency of the German army. On the contrary, she recognized and conceded their wonderful fighting organizations and then narrated some of the stories of the British army in stopping the powerful and strategically planned rushes of that invading army.

Most of the incidents narrated were gleaned first-hand by the speaker in the hospitals. One modest nurse who countered her every decoration possible for a soldier to win except the Victoria Cross, yet though desperately wounded and confined to hospital for months, nobody knew of his record until it was literally dragged from him. Another incident was that of a friend of the speaker, a titled British woman who had lost four sons, one only a few days before, yet who hid her own sorrow and entertained a group of newly arrived soldiers as they tried to shield them from the temptations to which boys far from home and in barracks or camp were necessarily liable.

Many of these ladies had money and idle time, a dangerous combination, and thoughtful men and women felt that it was their duty to stimulate the characters of these boys and to warn them of the follies and temptations around them. One of those she encountered, she said was the only "lily white" boy she had ever seen. When she had asked him if he wanted to go into one of the booths provided for the protection and innocent enjoyment of the newly

arrived soldiers, the young man turned and ran precipitately and she never saw him again. The idea, of course, was that the unsophisticated soldier had mistaken her for a "vamp."

The speaker in her easy and effective manner reinforced her plea for a closer Anglo-Saxon entente. She was not presenting the cause of England, nor the cause of America, but that of the Anglo-Saxon race upon which the best of world civilization is believed absolutely dependent. Her delineation of British characteristics and her incidental tribute to that people were merely designed to stimulate that larger and clearer understanding of each other by people of the same blood and language and the same ideals of government.

Passing from this theme to its logical sequence, she interjected a timely and effective commendation of and plea for a league of nations as the most effective guarantee against war. In a bit of pleasantry and some personal reminiscences, she related her reconceived and prejudiced attitude toward Waldorf Astor before she had come to know him, declaring simply that she had declined to have him presented to her and added that she didn't want to meet him. When they finally met and became acquainted, she had abandoned these preconceived ideas. This she mentioned by way of emphasizing her point that if we peoples really knew each other as they are and how in all real essentials they were alike that lurking prejudice between many people of the two nationalities would be eliminated.

The viscountess kept her hearers alternately laughing and applauding when she chose and at other times elicited that tense attention that betokens the acme of interest and sympathy. When she finally thanked her hearers for their attention and resumed her seat there was long and persistent applause.

Amid cries of "Astor" or "Lord Astor" and when in response to the growing insistence of the crowd he was about to be presented, Lady Astor in that quiet imperious way of hers interrupted with: "No, let me introduce him." And she did, in a simple, sincere manner, and withal in a handsome tribute to the sincerity of his appreciation of the man.

As Lord Astor rose, the whole audience also rose en masse and without suggestion but rather with remarkable spontaneity and approval, the speaker at the wonderful welcome which had been accorded Lady Astor and thanked the people of her native State for the cordiality and genuineness of their greeting. With a modest reference to himself, he gave precedence to his wife in the honors that had come to them from Englishmen and in the course of his informal address he paid her perhaps the handsomest appreciation which has been accorded her since her arrival in this country.

Turning to international affairs and relations, he, too, pleaded for that large and better understanding of each other by British and Americans and pleaded for stimulated trade relations as one of the most effective means of bringing it about. Citing the recent Washington conference in which representatives of various powers had gathered around the table and learned to know each other's needs, feelings and viewpoints from such close and intimate knowledge of each other, he pleaded for an even larger understanding, a league of nations.

At the conclusion of the speeches, the travelers by oral resolution gave the speakers an enthusiastic rising vote of appreciation and thanks. Following the speaking, an informal reception ensued at which the visitors shook hands with nearly all present.

The speaker praised Post E. and the arrangements committee and enthusiastically pronounced this the grandest and greatest convention yet held. He also paid a handsome tribute to the Dan River and River-side Mills, their efficiency and prosperity and the splendid work they were doing along welfare lines.

State Senator Senator W. T. Tait, of Newport News, was then called upon to say something on the subject of good roads. Mr. Holt began by disclaiming any enthusiasm for bonds at the inception of the movement for the improvement of State roads, but later he had come to be converted to the belief that improved roads was the State's greatest need, and that the only possible way of providing a great State highway system was by means of bond issues. So great was his enthusiasm for good roads and so convinced was he of the feasibility of the bond method of providing them that he was in favor of issuing a hundred and fifty million dollars of bonds to carry this work to completion.

The speaker related some of the benefits in his section of the State which had ensued upon highway construction. John B. Pinner, of Suffolk, was another enthusiastic booster of improved highways. Mr. Pinner is an attorney and he sketched in a few words the highway development connecting Norfolk and Portsmouth with Suffolk and the lines to Smithfield and Franklin and forecast that a complete hard surfaced highway would be extended to Petersburg and Richmond.

W. P. Johnson was presented to talk on "How to Get 'em," and threw out some practical suggestions as to how to secure members and strengthen the organization. He credited to the organization the two-cent mileage

legislation, temporarily abandoned owing to war conditions, but which he predicted would soon be restored through the efforts of the T. P. A. E. W. Brooks, Jr., of Richmond, one of the leaders in the convention also addressed the gathering in a felicitous and effective manner and made a fine impression.

Music for the occasion was contributed by the Westbrook orchestra and The Toddlers, two well known local organizations of young men.

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LAWTON, Okla., May 5.—The Rev. Thomas J. Irwin, who resigned the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church here several days ago in the midst of a controversy, was arrested tonight on charges of arson in connection with alleged recent incendiary fires at the church. He was released on bond of \$500. Mr. Irwin refused to make a statement.

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